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Recordings of Ho Chi Minh's voice in his speeches on 2 September 1952
 and 26 January 1952 have been compared with a recording made at Fontainebleau
 in 1946. French officials agree with , one of whom had several
 times heard Ho speak in person, that the voice is the same.

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The dialect used is a mixture of Tonkinese and Annamese of the Vinh
 region. The voice on the 1952 recordings is somewhat weaker and more
 hurried than in 1946.

The recordings have been dispatched to the Institute Phonétique in
 Paris for systematic analysis.

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